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DOCKET NO. 2013-201-WS**

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Application of Utilities Services of South Carolina, Inc. for Adjustment of Rates and Charges

Utilities Services of South Carolina, Inc. has filed an Application with the Public Service Commission of South Carolina (the "Commission") for an adjustment of its rates and charges and modifications to certain terms and conditions for the provision of water and sewer service. The Application was filed in accordance with S.C. Code Ann. §58-5-240 and 10 S.C. Code Ann. Regs. 103-712.4, 103-512.4, 103-503 and 103-703.

PLEASE TAKE NOTICE that the Commission has scheduled public hearings in response to the application filed by Utilities Services of South Carolina, Inc. The hearings will begin at **6:00 p.m.** in the two locations as follows:

Tuesday, October 1, 2013, at Northpoint Elementary School, Auditorium, 3325 Highway 81 North, Anderson, South Carolina 29621.

Thursday, October 3, 2013, at Harold C. Johnson Elementary School, Auditorium, 400 E Jefferson Street, York, South Carolina 29745.

Persons who wish to testify before the Public Service Commission regarding the Application may do so at this hearing. All testimony will be given under oath.

Persons seeking further information about the Commission's procedures should contact the Commission's offices by dialing (803) 896-5100 or by writing to the address below.

Public Service Commission of South Carolina
Clerk's Office
Post Office Drawer 11649
Columbia, SC 29211

PSC,

9/4/13

20 or so years ago I took a day off work to come to one of your hearings. Big waste of time.

Our water at the time was \$10⁰⁰ a month and after 10 years, system was supposed to be turned over to owners. Dave's land company gave it to themselves and started their own company, I think it was Blue Ribbon Water.

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At the time of meeting, a nice lady accosted me and said she worked for state as lawyer and was there to help us. Myself, young and naive thought it was true. (I'm sure she was paid by Blue Ribbon) She advised me not to tell in my presentation that we were promised 10⁰⁰ for 10 year deal. My neighbors got the same sales pitch when they bought their lots.

So I didn't bring it up, Mistake.

They didn't listen to anything we said, One commissioner even decided it was a great time for a nap!

My water bill has steadily gone up since then and now it is about 40⁰⁰ average, yearly, a month.

This is ridiculous for water, in a small mobile home. My Gas bill is not much higher and it is much more expensive to produce and transport,

You are supposed to be a representative of the public,

It's time to say no more,

I am paying for upgrades to other neighborhoods I don't even know where they are.

If Utilities Inc. can't afford to run their company, they need to sell it, All employees driving brand new trucks.

Look out for the PSC

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